

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) An inkjet printer cradle including:  
a body complementary to a removable inkjet cartridge ~~of a type, the~~  
removable inkjet cartridge having a pagewidth printhead and an air inlet port; and  
an air compressor having an air outlet pipe positioned to couple with and  
exhaust air to the air inlet port upon mating of the removable inkjet cartridge at  
receipt of the removable inkjet printer cradle with said cartridge by the body.
2. (Original) An inkjet printer cradle according to claim 1, wherein the body defines a recess dimensioned to locate the removable inkjet cartridge.
3. (Original) An inkjet printer cradle according to claim 2, wherein the air outlet pipe terminates within the recess.
4. (Original) An inkjet printer cradle according to claim 3, wherein the air outlet pipe traverses a portion of the body defining an internal shelf of the recess.
5. (Original) An inkjet printer cradle according to claim 1, wherein the air outlet pipe has a termination configured to assist piercing of a seal over the air inlet port.
6. (Currently Amended) An inkjet printer cradle including:  
a body defining a recess dimensioned to locate a removable inkjet cartridge ~~of~~  
a type, the removable inkjet cartridge having a pagewidth printhead and an air inlet port; and  
an air compressor having an air outlet pipe arranged to traverse a portion of the body defining an internal shelf of the recess, said pipe positioned to couple with  
and exhaust air to the air inlet port upon insertion of the removable inkjet cartridge at  
receipt and location of the removable inkjet printer cradle into cartridge by the recess  
and, said pipe being configured to assist in piercing of a seal over the air inlet port of  
the removable inkjet cartridge.